

Editorials on the Day's News

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The Weather Highest temperature yesterday 51. Lowest temperature last night 29. Forecast for interior southwest Oregon: Fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

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By FRANK JENKINS PRESIDENT HOOVER, speaking on Armistice day on the subject of naval disarmament, says to the nations of the world: "We will reduce our navies in proportion to any other. Having said that, it only remains for the others to say how low they will go. It can not be too low for us."

If you are a cynic, you will say: "Navies are obsolete. The airship is putting them out of business, just as gunpowder put the bow and arrow out of business. So when the nations talk about naval disarmament they are merely talking about discarding a weapon that is no longer efficient. When they talk about discarding airships, it will be time to listen."

BUT, if you are an intelligent student of human progress, you will pass by, as relatively unimportant, President Hoover's brief reference to naval disarmament and will fix upon his statement that in preparation for peace there is something mightier than armies and navies in defense. He says: "To build the spirit of good will and friendliness, to create respect and confidence, to stimulate esteem between peoples—this is the far greatest guaranty of peace."

THAT is true—every word of it. If we can build the spirit of good will and friendliness, if we can create respect and confidence, if we can stimulate esteem between peoples, we shall have gone a long way toward the banishment of war.

BUT, before we can do that, we have a long way to go. We must overcome the wrong thinking of centuries.

In ancient Greece, Rome and Persia, men thought in terms of conquest and enslavement. Throughout the long period of Machiavellian diplomacy, the grand monarchs schemed for each other's downfall. The Great Powers, which followed the grand monarchs, sought by war, above all else, to make themselves greater.

All of these, representing a long, long period in the world's development, had only a sketchy and cynical notion of the greatness of the achievements of peace.

BEFORE we can banish war, we must banish the long habit of thinking that war is necessary and desirable. That is what is in President Hoover's mind when he says: "To build the spirit of good will and friendliness, to create respect and confidence, to stimulate esteem between peoples—that is the far greatest guaranty of peace." He is a clear thinker, and he gets right down to essentials.

PRICES crash again on the New York stock exchange and fall to new low levels. This prompts the question: "What is the level which stock prices are seeking and will ultimately find?"

Here is a reasonable answer: "They are seeking the level that is justified by earning power, plus the increase in values that will be brought about by the steady progress of American industry toward greater efficiency."

A POOR, deluded girl in New York commits suicide spectacularly by leaping from an airplane, leaving behind a note saying: "Everything has always been discord when I so long for harmony. Maybe I will yet find it; maybe sweet music!" Perhaps, who knows? But there are better ways of finding harmony than by surrender and suicide. If all who seek peace could (Continued on page 4)

Stocks Lose Again (Associated Press Local Wire) NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The stock market closed practically at the bottom today after another storm of distress. Liquidation has carried scores of leading issues down \$1 to \$20 a share. The New York stock exchange today asked members to file statements of condition as of the close of business yesterday and daily changes thereafter until further notice. The statements are to include a list of stocks borrowed, from whom and for whose account; a list of stocks loaned, and to whom; intraoffice borrowings and for whose account; a list of all stocks which they have failed to deliver, and for whose account.

TURKEY GRADES TO BE STUDIED AT MEET HERE

Government Market Specialist to Conduct Demonstration Before Growers and Buyers.

Federal Requirements Will Be Shown and Tests Given to Qualify Men For Examiners.

A government turkey grading school, the first of its kind ever held in Oregon, has been arranged for November 20 and 30, in Roseburg, according to an announcement made this morning by J. C. Leedy, county agent and secretary of the Douglas Cooperative Turkey Growers. T. W. Heltz, market specialist of the U. S. department of agriculture, who recently conducted the grading school at Salt Lake City, has been secured to direct the school at Roseburg.

County agents from all of the turkey growing counties of western Oregon, representatives of the larger buying concerns, buyers themselves, representatives of cooperative organizations and all interested growers are to be invited to attend. Some of the larger buyers have promised to have as many as twenty of their representatives present.

The local association reports that eastern buyers are asking about government inspection on turkeys, and that it is going to be necessary within the next few months to provide government inspections, which will permit an eastern buyer to secure a federal certificate as to quality without sending a representative to the place of purchase to check on the birds delivered.

Federal System Topic

The school is for the purpose of explaining the government system and teaching growers and buyers the standards of grading followed by the government inspectors. Under the government system of inspection a carload of turkeys is inspected by a licensed examiner who makes out a certificate showing the quality of the birds packed in the car. This certificate assures the buyer that the birds purchased are up to the quality fixed by the government in its schedule of standards, so that he is not taking any chances.

Growers have in many cases feared government inspection, believing that the grades would be too strict. It has been reported, however, by Herbert Beyers, manager of the Douglas county association, that the standards followed locally are considerably above the government requirements and that government inspection would make absolutely no difference to the growers, but would be an added security in the marketing end of the industry. The buyers pay the cost of the inspection. (Continued on page 8.)

FORMER TEACHER HERE PASSES IN FRISCO HOSPITAL

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Norris Fairbanks, of Canyonville, in a San Francisco hospital, on November 10. Mrs. Fairbanks passed away after giving birth to a daughter. She was formerly Miss Frances Claire Gazley, of Roseburg, and at one time was an instructor of music in the Roseburg high school. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gazley, one of the oldest pioneer families of Douglas county. Her father passed away several years ago. She leaves her husband, Norris Fairbanks and week-old daughter beside her mother, Mrs. Minnie Gazley, of San Francisco, and one brother, Clyde Gazley, of Canyonville.

TRUSTY MAKES HIS ESCAPE FROM GUARD

Milton Anthony, a trusty from the county jail, employed on the road gang, escaped this morning when taken out to work on the roads. He slipped away from the guard and although immediately missed was not located this morning. A young woman, who had been visiting him frequently in the jail, was found a short distance from the prison in an auto loaded with clothing, provisions and guns, and it is believed that the two intended to leave together. She was taken into custody and held at the sheriff's office while the search was made for the missing prisoner.

Train Robber Victims Tell Of Experience

(Associated Press Local Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 13.—Many hours late as the result of trouble with robbers near Saugus, Cal., the Southern Pacific company's west coast limited arrived here late last night and today, given the usual scrubbing preparatory to its return trip to California.

Two victims of the robbers were still aboard, Mrs. L. H. Yott of Nogales, Ariz., who lost all her change and an unidentified man who eluded newspaper reporters. "I've been interviewed enough," he called to newspapermen as he left for uptown from the station.

S. W. Meigs, Pullman porter, was something of a hero to the passengers, he developed. The bandits had loosened the rails and wrecked the flyer, Meigs, passengers said, herded them all into an empty car and locked the door. The robbers did not reach them.

But another porter, Pompey James Anderson said he had no such luck. "They milled every passenger of mine," he said.

THIEF CAUGHT IN EUGENE IS GIVEN THREE-YEAR TERM

Charles Williams, arrested by the city police of Eugene Monday, charged with robbing the T. S. McCleary home in Edenbowen, was sentenced to a maximum term of 3 years in the state penitentiary by Judge G. E. Skipworth yesterday. Williams and a companion are accused of breaking into the McCleary home, taking a watch, diamond ring, kodak, pistol, sheepskin coat and other articles. The stolen goods were found in Williams' possession.

Two men were seen loitering around the house Monday by neighbors and a description was given Sheriff Jackson. He telephoned to officers in other parts of the state. Williams being picked up in Eugene Monday night. He was brought back yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Jackson and Deputy Sheriff Dietrich and went before Judge Skipworth upon a district attorney's information, charging larceny in a dwelling.

He entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to the penitentiary for not more than three years. He is about 24 years of age and states that he comes from Akron, Ohio.

FIREMAN KILLED, ENGINEER HURT IN TRAIN COLLISION

(Associated Press Local Wire) BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 13.—A fireman was fatally injured, an engineer was critically hurt and ten passengers were injured, a few of them severely, in a collision between Great Northern passenger train No. 237 and a helper locomotive, 20 miles north of Butte last night.

Carl Hostie, 29, of Butte, fireman on the lone locomotive, died shortly after he was taken to a Butte hospital. Charles Powell, also of Butte, engineer, suffered a fractured skull and possible internal injuries. Early today no word of the collision had been determined.

PLANE CREW AND PASSENGERS ARE SAVED BY SHIP

(Associated Press Local Wire) CIVITAVECCHIA, Italy, Nov. 12.—The Italian steamship Arborea arrived here this morning with the crew and passengers of a French hydro airplane picked up last night after it had been forced down off Cape Palermo, Sardinia. The captain of the Arborea said that he had great difficulty in locating the plane because of a storm but that when he sighted it he succeeded in taking off its occupants without difficulty.

PORTLAND PAPER APPEALS IN LIBEL SUIT BY MANNIX

(Associated Press Local Wire) SALEM, Ore., Nov. 13.—The Portland Telegram has appealed to the state supreme court from a decree of the circuit court awarding to Thomas Mannix, Portland lawyer, a \$25,000 libel judgment against that newspaper. Mannix asserted in his complaint that the Telegram published an article in which it was said that he betrayed Harry McDonald, alias Harry Knight, who was held in the Multnomah county jail charged with murder committed in Missouri. McDonald had retained Mannix as his attorney.

PLUMBER HELD TO BLAME FOR FALLS MURDER

Hotel Owner Is Slain With Shotgun After Quarrel Over Alleged Shortage of Finances.

Killer Quoted as Gratified Over Doing "Good Job"; Dishwasher in Hotel Is Eye Witness.

(Associated Press Local Wire) KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Nov. 13.—A quarrel over an alleged shortage in hotel accounts had resulted in the death of Sydney E. Darling, hotel owner, and the falling on a murder charge of Jack E. Wright, 59, prominent plumber and leasee of the hotel, today.

Wright is said to have shot and killed Darling with a shotgun in the hotel kitchen last night and then telephoned police to come and arrest him. He was in jail here today, while authorities endeavored to trace the quarrel to its foundation.

Authorities said Darling accused Mrs. Wright of the shortage in accounts Monday and that Wright cuffed the hotel owner and kicked him through the lobby into the street. The hotel was leased by Darling to Wright several months ago.

Tuesday Darling caused Wright's arrest on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, but the plumber was released on a \$250 cash bail.

Uses Shotgun Authorities said Wright returned to the hotel, seized a shotgun from a closet near the desk, threw one shell into the magazine and left. A few moments later, according to police, a shot was heard. Wright found Darling just leaving the hotel kitchen, when he had been talking with Floyd Moore, dishwasher.

Moore is said to have heard Wright at the door and thought to open it and Darling is thought to have seen the barrel of the gun pointed at him. Before he could warn the dishwasher the gun exploded, spraying shot over Moore and shattering the skull of Darling.

When told later that Darling was dead, Wright is alleged to have said, "Well, I did a good job."

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Nov. 13.—J. G. Wright, prominent plumber of this city, was held in jail here today on a murder charge while police continued an investigation of the fatal shooting of Charles Darling, owner of the Anchor hotel here, with a 12 gauge shotgun in the hotel dining room.

Wright was arrested shortly after the shooting last night. Police records revealed that the plumber was arrested last week on complaint of Darling, who charged that Wright had assaulted him with a dangerous weapon. Wright was released under \$200 bond pending a hearing. Police said the plumber threatened to "get" Darling.

ANOTHER REFEREE FOUND FOR JOSEPH MANNIX HEARING

(Associated Press Local Wire) SALEM, Ore., Nov. 13.—Judge Fred W. Wilson of the circuit court for Wasco county has informed Chief Justice Coshow of the supreme court that he is ready at any time to sit as one of the referees in the Joseph Mannix libel case. The other referees are Judge G. P. Skipworth of Eugene, presiding, and Judge H. D. Norton of Grants Pass. The hearings will be held in Salem.

ARMED BANDITS FAIL

(Associated Press Local Wire) NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Eight men armed with pistols help up the officer of the day and naval policemen at the navy base in Brooklyn early today and after an unsuccessful attempt to open a safe containing \$86,000, escaped.

Kaiser's Kin, Once Princess, Passes Today

(Associated Press Local Wire) BONN, Prussia, Nov. 13.—Frau Alexander Subkoff, 63, who was Princess Victoria von Prussia, sister of the former kaiser, and grandchild of the British queen, Victoria, died today in her modest residence here, ending one of the strangest romances written into the records of European royalty.

Death came while she slept, at 7:30 a. m. and followed a brief illness which began last week shortly after her husband, Alexander Subkoff, Russian adventurer who was 34 years her junior, was served with divorce papers on her behalf.

Frau Subkoff, when she married last in 1927, renounced her rights as princess, and accepted estrangement from her family. Members here today at her death were her "baby" sister, Marguerite, Princess von Hesse, her husband, Prince Frederick Charles, and their two sons, Christof and Richard.

TAX LEAGUE WILL MEET NOV. 29 TO CONSIDER REPORTS

(Associated Press Local Wire) B. F. Nichols, president of the Douglas county taxpayers league, has called a meeting of all committee members for Saturday, November 23, for the purpose of considering the various items in the 1930 budget.

The committee have been appointed and are now working on the budget with a view of formulating a report on that date. The annual meeting of the league will be held at the time of the hearing on the budget November 30, at which time the reports of the various committees will be submitted. Following is a list of the committees:

Roads and bridges committee—O. G. Garrett, Glendale; John Alexander, Glendale; Arthur Marsh, Sundry Items—C. E. Meyer, Dillard; Geo. Bacon, Lookingglass; M. B. Green, Roseburg, County officers—E. G. Kingwell, L. E. Thompson, S. D. Evans, School district committee—R. E. Clark, Oakland; J. A. Penn, Canyonville; A. G. Clark, Glendale, Legislative committee—Fred A. Goff, Melrose; D. N. Basenark, Melrose; C. H. Bailey, Dixonville, Publicity committee—C. H. Bailey, Dixonville; C. L. Chenoweth, Oakland; Mark Tisdale, Sutherlin, Municipal committee—A. F. Stearns, Oakland; H. P. Rios, Myrtle Creek; B. W. Strong, Roseburg, Price list committee—C. E. Banning, Roseburg; Victor Phillips, Dillard; G. W. Hurt, Roseburg.

ED MOORE INDICTED STATUTORY COUNT

An indictment was returned by the grand jury yesterday evening against Ed Moore, of Dillard, charged with a statutory offense. Moore was arrested several months ago when a girl, who had been employed by him at his service station claimed that he had forced her into improper relations. He was placed under \$1,000 bonds, and has apparently jumped the bonds, as he has departed from Dillard and up to the present time has not been located. The grand jury also returned two secret indictments. It reported that he had not been able to complete the work, due to the absence of material witnesses, and so was held over for another term.

SANTA CLARA GRID HERO DIES AFTER MAJOR OPERATION

(Associated Press Local Wire) SAN JOSE, Calif., Nov. 13.—Henry Luoma, star University of Santa Clara football guard, died at a local hospital early today of peritonitis following an operation a week ago for appendicitis. His mother, Mrs. P. Myronen, of Berkeley, and the Rev. Father C. J. McCoy, S. J., president of the university, were at his bedside. A call for volunteers yesterday to undergo a blood transfusion operation in an effort to save Luoma's life, was answered by 14 students of the university, Hugh Clark, Jr., of Dunsmuir, was selected for the operation which, however, proved futile.

HIT AND RUN CAR SPEEDS ON AFTER INJURING GIRLS

(Associated Press Local Wire) THE DALLES, Ore., Nov. 13.—Two 15-year-old girls, both of Wasco, were in a hospital here today recovering from injuries received when they were struck by a hit and run motorist and left unconscious on the highway. The girls, Belle Cloutier and Myrtle Garland, were found by Guy Pound of The Dalles, who called an ambulance which removed the girls to the hospital. They said they were walking toward Wasco last night when a car struck them and sped on.

SHINGLES ON FREE LIST

(Associated Press Local Wire) WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Retention of shingles on the free list was voted today by the senate. The vote was 48 to 30.

MINISTER RESIGNS

(Associated Press Local Wire) WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—William Phillips has resigned as minister to Canada.

OPERATION ON WAR SECRETARY CAUSES WORRY

Mr. Good in Serious State Following Major Surgical Treatment in Capital Hospital.

Affected Appendix Cause of Condition; Doctors Surprised in Finding Bad Complications.

(Associated Press Local Wire) WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Secretary of War Good underwent a difficult operation for gangrenous, perforating appendicitis, at Walter Reed hospital today, and his condition was described later as extremely serious.

The operation lasted more than an hour. Surgeons on the Walter Reed hospital staff performed the operation, which was determined upon after the war secretary was stricken suddenly last night.

The surgeons found the appendix in an exceptionally dangerous condition and it was situated very low in the pelvis, making the operation unusually difficult.

After the operation physicians said they did not minimize the danger of his condition. They added, however, that Mr. Good was in as good condition as could be expected under the circumstances.

Secretary Good is 62 years old. He had not been in the best of health recently but his friends were surprised to hear of the sudden attack.

The serious condition was discovered when physicians operated upon Secretary Good for appendicitis.

Whether the appendix was ruptured was not immediately made known, but a physician attending the war secretary stepped out of the operating shortly afterward long enough to say that a serious condition had been encountered.

The secretary's heart and pulse were said to be holding up well under the anesthetic.

The operation was prolonged considerably by the complicated condition. Secretary Good was stricken with the acute attack late last night and was rushed to the hospital for an immediate operation.

Secretary Wilbur of the interior department and Dr. Joe T. Boone, the White House physician, went into consultation with Walter Reed physicians and decided to operate this morning.

Some time ago Secretary Good was taken to the hospital for observation but he was released when no extremely serious symptoms were disclosed.

Secretary Wilbur is a physician.

Irish Minister Killed



Michael McWhite, Irish Free State minister to the United States, who was killed by having been struck by a "hit and run" motorist in Washington. The Irish minister was rushed to a hospital, where physicians reported no chance for his recovery.

HALF-CRAZED COW HAND SOUGHT AS S. P. TRAIN ROBBER

(Associated Press Local Wire) LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—Search is underway today for a former Baker ranch cow-hand, believed by investigators from the sheriff's office to have been the central figure in the wrecking and robbery of the Southern Pacific West Coast limited near Saugus last Sunday night.

Captain Harry Brooks, of the sheriff's robbery detail, said a laundry mark on a torn coat found near the wrecked train, had revealed the identity of the suspect.

Other employees on the ranch, he said, had identified the coat as one belonging to a "half-crazed cowboy" who has been missing from the ranch since Sunday afternoon. The man's name was not revealed.

Brooks said he believed the second man described by passengers, who were robbed of between \$300 and \$500, was an escaped narcotic addict from Spadra state hospital.

That one of the robbers may have picked up a ride to Los Angeles shortly after the wrecking of the train was indicated by Tom Firth who said a coatless and hairless man accosted him near Saugus as he was returning to his home here from a Sunday automobile trip. The man told Firth he was a forest ranger and was in a hurry to get into Los Angeles to see his daughter, who had been injured and was in the children's hospital. Firth said he took the man, who gave the name of Hall, to the hospital, and was handed a \$5 bill, peeled from a big roll of the asserted ransom carried in his pocket.

Firth said he became suspicious later, because the man described the wreck in Delta during the ride to the city.

No answer by the name of Hall is listed in forestry department records.

SKIPWORTH GRANTS THREE DIVORCES

Three divorce decrees were granted by Judge Skipworth in the circuit court yesterday. Andrew J. Black, represented by Attorney George Wilson, was given a divorce from Zella Black on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. A decree was given Otto L. Dotson from Mabel Dotson on grounds of desertion. The plaintiff before represented by Attorney M. L. Hallmark, Avalon, R. O. Olson was given a decree from Harlow A. Olson on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. She was represented by Attorney J. H. Austin.

PORTLAND COP TO FACE NEW CHARGES

(Associated Press Local Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 12.—William H. Bruening, police lieutenant, faced new charges today and was suspended from the police force for 20 days following a hearing yesterday when Mrs. Ann Schrader, attractive swimming instructor, told of an eight-year love affair with the policeman.

Chief of Police L. V. Jenkins said he would file charges against the policeman and that meanwhile he was suspended from the force.

ANNUAL CHEST DRIVE STARTS THIS MORNING

Teams Will Canvass Every Part of Roseburg to Raise Quota Slated for Coming Year.

More Solicitors Needed to Put Campaign Over, Is Chairman's Advice to Interested People.

Roseburg's annual community chest drive got under way this morning with teams working in every section of the city under the general direction of Noble Goetzel, chairman.

The board of control met with several workers last night and made plans for the "biggest" chest morning. The city was divided into four districts with Jackson street dividing the east and west and Cass street marking the north and south line.

O. C. Baker is captain of the northwest division; W. F. Harris has the northeast section. The southwest section was allotted to J. E. Clark and the southeast to M. R. Brown.

Each captain has selected several men to assist him in calling on all within his own section. The hardest problem of the campaign is in getting solicitors. The community chest has made the problem of taking care of the city's needs so easy that men have almost forgotten that it is necessary to do anything at all. The drive can be made easy and done quickly if each man who is asked will only put his shoulder to the wheel for a few hours and push until it is done and done well, the chairman states.

Some of the men who have volunteered to solicit are: Archibald, W. B. Strawn, O. C. Baker, Storey Iles, Jack Wharton, J. E. Clark, W. F. Harris, D. H. Morgan, J. B. Penhall, Paul O'Brien, J. A. Souders, G. Jones, M. R. Brown, E. A. Brown and J. H. Patcher. Others will no doubt, be working before the day is over.

Eugene Firm Subscribes The first subscription to come to be made yesterday by the Krumpholtz baking company of Eugene. They were gratified to contribute to the chest, with an out-of-town firm taking the lead that all the city would quickly follow suit and get the job done.

"The collectors do not wish to take a lot of the gifts' thin and heavy. It is accepted with a good deal of interest. This would enable them to look to their own places of business—each sooner."

One report reached the headquarters this morning regarding the boy scout allotment. The report said that the money given to the boy scouts was used to buy uniforms and send boys to camp who were sons of well-to-do parents. Such an understanding is entirely wrong, drive officials declare. If such were the case the board of control would shut off the boy scout quota very quickly. The money allotted to this and other programs goes to the support of the program, only and nothing is done in a financial way for any boy or girl. That would be in direct conflict with such a program which helps a boy to help himself so that he can help others in the same manner.

Turkey Demand Slow

(O. S. C. Market Bureau.) CORVALLIS, Ore., Nov. 13.—(Special to The News-Review.)—There is an ample supply of live turkeys on the Portland market, with the demand slow. General run, ungraded, quoted at 20 cents. No. 1 toms 22 cents, f. o. b. Portland. Dressed supply ample, quality fair, outlet limited. Market unsettled. No. 1 young toms 22 cents, young hens 21 cents, old toms 20 cents. San Francisco prices unchanged. California pool top prices were 35 cents for young toms, young hens 23 cents. Undergrades were 7 to 9 cents less. The pool consisted of six or seven cars.

The Nevada pool was bought for the San Francisco market, young toms 35 cents, hens 23 cents. Choice grade 2 cents less on each.

Salt Lake market weaker. Duff Worth market steady, receipts increasing. San Antonio choice of prices widening. Market shows unsettled feeling among trade. Eastern demand not very active.